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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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AND METHODS**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Sir:

Applicants herewith submit the following Supplemental Amendment.

In the Claims:

No Claims have been amended. Claims 56-108 have been added. Claims 2-108 remain in the application. For the PTO's convenience, claims that remain unchanged are included below in order to allow the Examiner to review all pending claims from this response in their numerical order.

2. (Unchanged) A method of processing signals at a receiver station, said receiver station having a plurality of processors, said method comprising the steps of:
- receiving an information transmission containing a digital television signal and a message stream;
 - detecting said message stream in said information transmission;
 - selecting one message of said detected message stream;
 - inputting at least a first portion of said selected one message to a control processor;